AMENDMENT 0001

BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT (BAA)
Number DHAPP-BAA-13-001

"FY13 – FY14 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for non-PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries"

The purpose of this Amendment 0006 is to incorporate the following:

1. <u>NHRC/DHAPP is accepting "Concept Papers" for Estonia as described below through 27 August 2013 for first round consideration.</u>

Eligible Applicants are requested to submit **Concept Papers** following the guidelines and format provided in the DHAPP BAA-13-001, Section IV.

2. Clarification on the Full Proposal Process – <u>Full proposal shall be submitted through GRANTS.GOV</u>. DO NOT SUBMIT FULL PROPOSAL VIA EMAIL.

<u>DHAPP-BAA-13-001, Page 15 of 32, Full Proposal Format – DELETE the following paragraph</u>:

- Copies – one (1) electronic copy in Adobe PDF or Word delivered via e-mail, containing all required sections. Electronic (e-mail) submissions should be sent to the attention of e-mail address reference in Section IV.1. above. The subject line of e-mail shall read **"DHAPP-BAA-13-001 FULL PROPOSAL SUBMISSION."**

Estonia

Total Funding: $200,000

Proposals are solicited to develop, implement, monitor and evaluate a sustainable, effective HIV/AIDS prevention program for the Estonia Ministry of Defense (MOD). The Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program (DHAPP) has worked collaboratively with the Estonian MOD in a variety of HIV/AIDS prevention programs since 2005. In the past 3 years, those efforts have included policy development, seroprevalence studies, training of medical personnel and the development and implementation of HIV training/education of enlisted troops. To improve the effectiveness of the program, there is a need to assess effectiveness and modify training material. A strategy essential for sustaining the prevention program is to train and utilize a cadre of peer trainers. The TBD partner will work closely with DHAPP staff, Estonian MOD, and the Office of Defense Cooperation, United States Embassy, Tallinn to implement the following activities:

Condoms and Other Prevention (HVOP) ($200k) Proposals are requested to

1. Conduct 6 focus groups of conscripts and military personnel to assess effectiveness of current preventive program content**.**
2. Incorporate knowledge gained from focus groups to update prevention strategy.
3. Include content on alcohol use as an HIV risk factor in prevention program.
4. Reproduce and oversee distribution of HIV/AIDS prevention materials.
5. Conduct training for 1500 enlisted personnel with pre and post evaluations.
6. Conduct train-the-trainer pilot program to include training and support to MOD for small scale implementation.
7. Conduct assessment of adequacy of current pre deployment training on HIV and other infectious diseases for peacekeeping personnel.
8. Coordinate a 2-day training course by U.S. military medical experts for Estonian Defense Force health/medical personnel on STI/HIV/TB, other infectious diseases in returning soldiers, and alcohol as an HIV risk factor.
9. Coordinate a 4-week study trip to the Military International HIV Training Program (MIHTP) in San Diego, CA for 2 Estonian military physicians. (Cost is $30k)
10. Include the participation of the Program Manager for a one week training at DHAPP, San Diego (Cost estimate $5k).